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➤ FIRE PATROL ➤

OF SAN FRANCISCO,

For the Year ending December 31st,

➤ 1880 ➤

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OF THE

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1880.

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O F T H E
Underwriters' Fire Patrol of San Francisco,

For the Year ending December 31st, 1880.

The following named gentlemen were elected Directors at the Annual Meeting in January, to serve for the year, viz.:

Directors :

GUSTAVE TOUCHARD,	D. J. STAPLES,
TOM C. GRANT,	CHAS. A. LATON,
A. J. BRYANT,	EDWARD BROWN,
WILLIAM FRANK.	

Officers :

CHAS. A. LATON, *President.* GUSTAVE TOUCHARD, *Vice-President.*
TOM C. GRANT, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Headquarters: Station No. 1, S. W. Cor. Stevenson and Ecker Streets.
Station No. 2, - - - - - Grove Street, near New City Hall.

LIST OF MEMBERS OF THE UNDERWRITERS' PATROL FORCE.

STATION NO. 1.

POSITION.	NAMES.	AGE.	RESIDENCE.	NO. OF BADGE.
Lieutenant .	C. H. Okell	26	Station No. 1..	.....
Patrolman ..	Scott Wyckoff.....	33	Station No. 1..	One.
Patrolman ..	C. H. Lewis.....	37	Station No. 1..	Two.
Patrolman ..	Wm. F. Thomas.....	34	Station No. 1..	Three.
Patrolman ..	C. M. Jones.....	28	Station No. 1..	Four.
Patrolman ..	Wm. H. Smith.....	28	Station No. 1..	Five.
Patrolman ..	J. H. Colen.....	26	Station No. 1..	Six.
Sub. Driver.	Chas. Albee.....	32	Station No. 1..	Seven.

STATION NO. 2.

Lieutenant .	J. F. Comstock.....	27	Station No. 2..	.....
Patrolman ..	J. E. Littlefield	26	Station No. 2..	Eight.
Patrolman ..	J. A. Maier	33	Station No. 2..	Nine.
Patrolman ..	T. Dornin.....	36	Station No. 2..	Ten.
Sub. Driver.	A. S. Moore.....	32	Station No. 2..	Eleven.

Captain, Russell White ; age, 38 ; headquarters.

APPOINTMENTS DURING THE YEAR.

None.

RESIGNATIONS DURING THE YEAR.

Chas. Albee, to go East on business.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION :—

Gentlemen,—It will be observed that during the year there have been very few changes in the members of the force. This is an excellent indication, and argues well for discipline and *morale*.

The Directors are pleased to state that the men seem *determined to excel*, and in every way possible second the efforts of the Captain, who is constantly endeavoring to increase the efficiency of the patrol.

All of the property of this corporation is in very good condition, having been properly cared for by the force. And again we are able to make mention of reasonable immunity from accidents of any kind, and we trust that this will be our record for a long period to come.

The report of the Treasurer speaks for itself. Fires and Alarms for the year present no remarkable or startling features.

The Directors are pleased to record a continuation of the very best of feeling and co-operation between the members of the Fire and Police Departments and the Patrol; and they desire to express their thanks and good-will to Chief Engineer Scannell and Chief of Police Crowley; also to Mr. Curran, Superintendent of the F. A. and P. T.; to Fire Marshal Durkee; the A. D. T. and Telephone Company, and to all friends.

Very respectfully submitted,

GUSTAVE TOUCHARD, <i>Vice-Pres't,</i>	} <i>Directors.</i>
TOM C. GRANT, <i>Sec. and Treas.</i>	
D. J. STAPLES,	
A. J. BRYANT,	
WILLIAM FRANK,	
EDWARD BROWN,	
CHAS. A. LATON, <i>Pres't,</i>	)

SAN FRANCISCO, *January 1st, 1881.*

CAPTAIN WHITE'S REPORT.

HEADQUARTERS UNDERWRITERS' FIRE PATROL,
SAN FRANCISCO, *January 1st, 1881.*

To the President and Board of Directors of the Underwriters Fire Patrol :

GENTLEMEN :—In compliance with the requirements of the Board of Directors, I herewith transmit to your Honorable Board a statement of the condition of the Patrol Force at the present date, and also of its operations during the year ending December 31st, 1880. Fully appreciating the confidence reposed in me as Chief Officer of the Force, and with pleasure acknowledging the promptness with which every assistance has been rendered by your honorable body in maintaining the Patrol Force in its present excellent condition of efficiency and reliability, I have herewith presented for the consideration of the Board all the items of interest connected with the workings of the Force for the past year, with a list of the members, number of alarms, covers spread, time of service, location of fires, an inventory of the property in my charge, and such other information as may be of interest to you ; and I have always endeavored to faithfully present the actual wants of the Force, so as to add to the comforts of the men, and secure the additional facilities necessary to properly protect the interests we have in charge.

The Force have responded promptly to all the calls which have been made upon them during the past year, and proved themselves capable of coping with any of the fires which have occurred during that time ;—the Patrol is sometimes lost, sight of, and *undervalued*, when for days, and perhaps weeks there are no serious fires, but a single visit of the destroying element satisfies every intelligent mind that much of our security lies in having a well disciplined Force to meet any emergency that may arise.

THERE IS A MANIFEST PROPRIETY IN UNDERWRITERS' AND CITIZENS TAKING AN INTEREST IN THE PATROL ; the discipline of the Force is above reproach.

All the apparatus of the Patrol is in the very best of order, ready for immediate service at all times ; the men in charge are skillful in their respective positions, and render cheerful obedience to all orders emanating from the Board of Directors or myself. I desire again to express my high opinion and appreciation of officers and members of the Fire Department, and the officers and

members of the Police Department, who on all occasions have co-operated willingly and most heartily with our Force, and to them we desire to express our obligations, and also to bear testimony to the efficiency of their Departments.

To Fire Marshal Durkee, and to Mr. Curran, Superintendent of the Fire Alarm and Police Telegraph, and to the employees under their control, please except thanks for valuable services rendered at all times.

Thanking the Board of Directors for their confidence in my administration of the affairs of the Patrol, and for their ready approval of all my recommendations looking to the increasing of its efficiency, I present, with feelings of pride and satisfaction, the record of our labors for the year which has just closed, and I am grateful for continued kindness to me personally.

I remain, gentleman, faithfully yours,

RUSSELL WHITE,

Captain Fire Patrol.

MONTHLY CLASSIFICATIONS, FIRES AND ALARMS, Etc., Etc.,

From January 1st, 1880, to December 31st, 1880, inclusive.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.
Bell Alarms.....	19	16	27	13	21	16	31	18	26	20	25	27	259
A. D. T. ".....	6	5	7	4	4	5	2	1	2	8	6	5	55
Still ".....	4	4	4	1	2	1	4	.....	1	3	.....	2	26
False ".....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	3
Bell Telephone.....	1	1	2	2	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9
Extinguishers used.....	3	5	8	5	14	2	4	1	1	6	2	.....	51
Fires extinguished.....	1	2	3	1	3	1	2	.....	.....	2	1	.....	16
Covers spread.....	41	33	86	59	91	148	19	250	99	87	163	53	1,129
Fires held in check.....	1	1	2	2	3	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	11
Out of District.....	4	5	5	1	1	.....	1	1	3	1	4	1	27
Hours in Service.....	14.00	15.25	29.30	12.15	16.45	14.55	19.35	16.45	20.15	17.40	27.20	21.15	225.40

TOTAL NUMBER OF FIRES AND ALARMS.

Received during the year.....	352
Of which there were Bell Alarms.....	259
American District Telegraph Alarms.....	55
Still Alarms	26
False Alarms.....	3
Bell Telephone Alarms	9
Total.....	352

Of which number the Patrol responded to all but twenty-seven (27) Alarms, these being for fires which were outside of the district covered by the Patrol and too far off to reach and do good service.

SERVICE PERFORMED BY THE PATROL.

Hours of Service.....	225 hours, 40 minutes.
Number of Covers spread	1129
“ fires extinguished by the Patrol.....	16
“ Extinguishers used.....	51
“ fires held in check	11

CAUSES OF FIRES AND ALARMS.

Bonfire in the street	1
Burning brush	2
Boiling over of kettle of varnish.....	1
Burning chimneys.....	23
Carelessness with candle	5
Carelessness with matches.....	9
Carelessness with fire	4
Carelessness with Lamp.....	1
Carelessness with cigars.....	6
Children with matches	12
Defective chimneys.....	19
Defective grates.....	4
Defective dry houses.....	2
Defective Stove pipes.....	8
Defective flues	2
Defective ranges.....	2
Defective stoves	5
Defective gas pipe	1
Defective furnaces	11
Defective gas lights.....	5
Drunkenness.....	5
Drying kindling-wood on stove.....	2
Explosion of coal-oil stoves.....	5
Explosion of coal-oil lamps.....	27
Explosion of gun powder.....	1
Fire works.....	16
Friction of machinery.....	4
Goods too near gas light.....	3
Hot ashes in wooden vessels.....	9
Hot iron moulds too near wooden partition	1
Incendiary.....	18
Over-heated coffee roaster.....	1
Pipe smoking	2
Rekindling of former fires.....	2
Supposed rats and matches.....	1
Spark from chimneys.....	13
Stove too near wood work.....	1
Smoking lantern.....	1
Spark from grate.....	1

CAUSES OF FIRES AND ALARMS.—CONTINUED.

<i>Brought forward</i>	236
Spark from engine.....	1
Spontaneous combustion.....	7
Smoke in buildings.....	2
Spark from tinner's pot.....	1
Spark from a former fire.....	1
Tar kettle.....	1
Unknown.....	31
Upsetting of coal-oil lamps.....	3
TOTAL	283

FIRES EXTINGUISHED BY THE PATROL.

1880.

January	7th,	No. 1029 Sutter street.
February	16th,	Nos. 520 and 522 Market street.
February	17th,	Nos. 113 to 121 Post street.
March	10th,	Nos. 309 and 311 Sacramento street.
March	12th,	Nos. 506 and 508 Market street.
March	14th,	Nos. 115 and 117 Stockton street.
April	8th,	No. 321 California street.
May	4th,	Nos. 618 and 620 Merchant street.
May	29th,	No. 515 Commercial street.
May	30th,	Nos. 300 to 306 Montgomery street.
June	26th,	No. 522 Mission street.
July	8th,	Nos. 77 and 79 Stevenson street.
July	12th,	No. 407 East street.
October	30th,	North-east cor. Sacramento and Montgomery streets.
October	31st,	No. 642 Clay street.
November	13th,	No. 1 Scheerer Place.

FIRES HELD IN CHECK UNTIL THE ARRIVAL OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

1880.

January	17th,	Nos. 615 and 617 Jackson street.
February	11th,	No. 110 Jessie street.
March	5th,	No. 110 Fourth street.
March	23d,	Bryant street, foot of Beale street.
April	12th,	No. 700 Ellis street.
April	30th,	No. 37 Sutter street.
May	3d,	No. 626 Sacramento street.
May	21st,	Nos. 406 and 408 Sansome street.
May	24th,	Nos. 30 and 32 Montgomery street.
September	7th,	North-west cor. New Montgomery and Howard streets.
October	19th,	Nos. 203 to 207 Mission street.

ON ACCOUNT OF THREATENED SERIOUS CONFLAGRATION, THE No. 2 STATION FORCE WAS CALLED BY TELEGRAPH OR TELEPHONE TO ASSIST STATION No. 1 AT THE FIRES AT FOLLOWING NAMED PLACES:

Tuesday, May 26th,	Box 61, No. 126 to 138 Third street.
Thursday, June 10th,	Box 26, N. W. corner Sansome and Broadway streets.
Thursday, June 17th,	Box 62, No. 223 to 233 Jessie street.
Tuesday, Aug. 3rd,	Box 41, No. 903 Sutter street.
Thursday, Aug. 5th,	Box 13, No. 519 to 523 Battery street.
Sunday, Aug. 29th,	Box 26, No. 413 and 415 Commercial street.
Sunday, Oct. 17th,	Box, 34, S. E. corner Mission and Steuart streets.
Sunday, Oct. 17th,	Box 36, foot of Folsom street.
Friday, Nov. 19th,	Box 25, No. 12 to 20 Stout's alley.
Monday, Nov. 29th,	Box 47, No. 809 to 821 Market street.

COVERS ON HAND.

At Station No. 1, 368 in good order.

At Station No. 2, 97 in good order.

On truck in Oakland, 6 in poor order.

During the year one cover was burned at the fire October 17th, Box 34.

One old damaged cover has been loaned to Fire Department.

CONDENSED SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY ON HAND AT THE PATROL STATIONS, ETC.

STATION No. 1.

Wagon, large two-horse.....	1
Wagon, small one-horse.....	1
Buggy	1
Horses.....	4
Covers	368
Together with all the other equipment, furniture, etc.	

STATION No. 2.

Wagon, large two-horse.....	1
Horses	2
Covers	97
Together with all the other equipment, furniture, etc.	

The building and all improvements at this Station are the property of this Corporation.

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE.

Black Walnut Paper Case.....	1
Lot Letter Sheets.....	
Lot Envelopes, and Sundry blanks and papers.....	
Lot of copies Rules and Regulations	
Lot of copies By-Laws	
Letter Book	1
Wood-cut Patrol Wagon.....	1
Electrotype of Patrol Wagon	1

SECRETARY AND TREASURER'S OFFICE.

Sundry copies of Annual Reports.....	
Blank Notices for Meetings	
Insurance Companies' Quarterly Return Sheets.....	
Assessment Bills	
Orders on Treasurer	
A few copies Act of Incorporation and By-Laws; together with the Books, etc., etc., of Secretary and Treasurer.....	

SUNDRIES.

Rubber Covers on Truck in Oakland	6
Gray's Automatic Printer, at the Electrical Construction Co.'s place.....	2

TREASURER'S REPORT

OF

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS,

For the Year Ending December 31st, 1880.

Mr. PRESIDENT: I herewith submit my Report as Treasurer of the Underwriters' Fire Patrol of San Francisco, for the year ending December 31st, 1880:

RECEIPTS.

1880.

	Balance from 1879.....	\$1,798 53
Jan. 31.	Assessment No. 20, levied on returns of December 31st, 1879.....	\$6,775 45
April 30.	Assessment No. 21, levied on returns of March 31st, 1880.....	6,219 90
July 31.	Assessment No. 22, levied on returns of June 30th, 1880.....	3,970 80
Oct. 31.	Assessment No. 23, levied on returns of September 30th, 1880	4,192 65
Oct. 31.	Assessment collected from North German Ins. Co., not included in returns for September 30th, 1880	53 25
		21,212 05
Dec. 31.	Rent of portion of Patrol premises.....	360 00
July 1.	Sale of Horse.....	50 00
		\$23,420 58

DISEURSEMENTS.

1880.		
Dec. 31.	Rent for the year	\$ 2,617 50
"	Pay roll account	14,712 50
"	Equipment account :—	.
	Including purchase of horse, hats, badges	522 91
"	Feed account	524 55
"	Furniture account.....	49 00
"	General Expense account :—	
	Repairs, wear and tear.....	\$1,082 25
	Printing and stationery.....	295 00
	Oil, soap, and paint	220 61
	Gas	194 10
	Water	75 60
	Coal	67 60
	Horse shoeing	198 25
	Newspapers	58 65
	Removing manure.....	48 00
	Washing	91 55
	Taxes	30 35
	Horse hire.....	49 00
	Attorney fees.....	25 00
	Notary and Recording	6 50
	Secretary and Treasurer	600 00
		—————\$3,042 46
		—————\$21,468 92
	Balance on hand.....	1,951 66
		—————
		<u>\$23,420 58</u>

TOM C. GRANT, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

HEADQUARTERS UNDERWRITERS' FIRE PATROL,
SAN FRANCISCO, *January 1st, 1881.*

STATEMENT

OF

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

OF THE

UNDERWRITERS' FIRE PATROL RELIEF ASSOCIATION,

For the Year ending December 31st, 1880.

RECEIPTS.

1880.	Balance from 1879.....	\$2,396 76
July 31.	Interest on deposit.....	\$71 88
Dec. 7.	Donation from Wm. B. Bradbury.....	20 00
		<u>91 88</u>
		<u>\$2,488 64</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Aug. 25.	Claim of John A. Maier.....	\$10 00
Sept. 3.	Claim of C. M. Janes	30 00
		<u>40 00</u>
Dec. 31.	Balance on deposit in Hibernia Bank	\$2,448 64
		<u>\$2,488 64</u>

TOM C. GRANT, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

HEADQUARTERS U. F. P. RELIEF ASSOCIATION,

SAN FRANCISCO, *January 1st, 1881.*

FIRE RECORD.

REPORT

OF

FIRES AND ALARMS

DUTY PERFORMED AND COVERS SPREAD

BY THE PATROL,

For the Year ending 31st December 1880.

JANUARY.

1880.

- Thursday, Nos. 771 to 775 Market street. Two-story brick building.
1st, Cause of fire, incendiary.
11.2 P. M., Extinguishers used, one. Fire held in check until arrival of Fire
Box 62. Department.
Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, none. Damage, \$50.
Insurance on contents, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$164.
- Saturday, No. 5 Montgomery court. Two-story and basement frame
3d, building.
4.25 A. M., Cause of fire, defective chimney.
Box 86. Covers spread, three.
Patrol in service fifty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$40.
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
- Saturday, Corner Sansome and Pine streets (Blumenberg Block).
3d, Cause of fire, funnel hole in chimney left open.
9.8 P. M., Needless alarm.
A. D. T. Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.

Sunday, No. 803 Market street. One-story frame building.
 4th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
 9.50 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Still, Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Loss, \$5.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss \$5. No claim.

Sunday, Out of Patrol district.
 4th, Did not respond thereto.
 11.50 P. M.,
 Box 74.

Monday, Out of Patrol district.
 5th, Did not respond thereto.
 12.4 A. M.,
 Box 326.

Tuesday, Rear of 724 Union street. Two-story frame dwelling and stable.
 6th, Cause of fire unknown.
 7.44 A. M., Covers spread, one.
 Box 8. Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on buildings, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$560.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$1,550.

Wednesday, No. 1029 Sutter street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 7th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 11.23 A. M. Extinguishers used, one.
 and Fire extinguished by Patrol No. 2.
 11.29 A. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 135 and Responded to by Station No. 2.
 A. D. T. Insurance on dwelling, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$20.

Wednesday, Out of Patrol district.
 7th, Did not respond thereto.
 5.15 P. M.,
 Box 135.

Thursday, No. 611 Merchant street. Two-story brick building.
 8th, Cause of fire, defective grate.
 10.15 A. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Still, Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Loss on building, \$5.

- Friday, No. 1806 Mason street. Two-story and basement frame dwelling.
 9th, Cause of fire, old carpet stuffed in chimney hole.
 7.9 A. M. Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 8. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Loss on Dwelling, \$10. No claim.
- Saturday, No. 133 Second street. Two-story frame building.
 10th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
 6.28 A. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Still. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$100.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$400.
- Sunday, Harrison street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth. One-story
 11th, frame building.
 6.44 A. M., Cause of fire, supposed pipe smoking by hoodlums.
 Box 149 and Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$150.
- Sunday, N. W. cor. Bush and Dupont streets. Four-story frame building.
 11th, Cause of fire, defective grate.
 8.20 A. M., Covers spread, one.
 A. D. T. Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$10,000. Loss paid, \$30.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,000. Estimated loss, \$30. No claim.
- Tuesday, No. 736 Brannan street, rear of Pacific Furniture Factory.
 13th, Cause of fire, defective furnace.
 6.42 A. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Box 154. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Building damaged, \$1.
- Tuesday, Rear of No. 1029 Sutter street. Green-house.
 13th, Cause of fire, stove too near wood-work.
 8.19 A. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
- Friday, No. 62 Minna Street.
 16th, Needless alarm.
 7.34 P. M., Patrol in service fifteen minutes.
 Still. Responded to by Station No. 1.

- Saturday, Nos. 615 and 617 Jackson street. Three-story and basement
17th, brick building.
- 3.35 A. M., Cause of fire, supposed explosion of coal-oil lamp.
Box 25. Extinguishers used, one.
Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$4,000. Loss paid, \$80.
Insurance on contents, \$4,500. No damage.
- Sunday, Out of Patrol district.
18th, Did not respond thereto.
- 10.37 P. M.,
Box 234.
- Monday, Nos. 324 and 326 Minna street. One-story frame building and
26th, two-story frame stable.
- 4.11 A. M., Cause of fire, supposed explosion of coal-oil lamp.
Box 62. Covers spread, one.
Patrol in service forty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on buildings, none. Estimated loss, \$1,500.
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$1,300.
- Monday, East side Jackson, between Dupont and Stockton streets.
26th, Chimney fire.
- 4.53 P. M., Needless alarm.
Box 25. Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Monday. Nos. 312 and 314 Main street. Two-story frame building and
26th, Cause of fire unknown.
- 10.20 P. M., Covers spread, five.
Box 39. Patrol in service one hour.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on buildings, \$1,300. Loss paid, \$225.
Insurance on contents, \$800. Loss paid, \$10.
- Tuesday, Nos. 313 and 315 Washington street. Three-story iron and frame
27th, building.
- 6.32 P. M., Cause of fire unknown.
Box 19. Covers spread, twenty-two.
Patrol in service one hour.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$600.
Insurance on contents, \$2,100. Loss paid, \$475.

Friday,	Rear of 1057 Howard street. Hay.
30th,	Cause of fire, children with matches.
1.39 P. M.,	Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Box 65.	Responded to by Station No. 2.
	Loss on hay, \$1.
Saturday,	Nos. 615 and 617 Post street and 122 and 1224 William street.
31st,	Two and three-story frame dwellings.
4 P. M.,	Cause of fire unknown.
Bell Tel.,	Covers spread, six.
4.1 P. M.,	Patrol in service fifty minutes.
Box 41,	Responded to by Station No. 1.
4.4 P. M.,	Insurance on dwellings, \$6,800. Loss paid, \$225.
Box 42.	Insurance on contents, \$400. Loss paid, \$50.

FEBRUARY.

1880.

Monday,	No. 9 Cushman street. Three-story frame dwelling.
2d,	Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
5.20 A. M.,	Patrol in service forty minutes.
A. D. T.	Responded to by Station No. 1.
	Insurance on dwelling, \$1,600. Loss paid, \$35.
	Insurance on contents, none.
Monday,	Out of Patrol district.
2d,	Did not respond thereto.
9.46 A. M.,	
Box 236.	
Tuesday,	No. 527 Kearny street. Four-story brick building.
3d,	Cause of fire, incendiary.
3.30 A. M.,	Patrol in service one hour.
Still.	Responded to by Station No. 1.
	Insurance on building, \$25,000. Loss paid, \$19.
	Insurance on contents, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$61.25.
Thursday,	Nos. 924 to 928 Pine street. One and two-story frame dwellings
5th,	and buildings.
6.30 A. M.,	Cause of fire, supposed carelessness with candle.
Box 132,	Covers spread, fifteen.
Box 41 and	Patrol in service two hours.
A. D. T.	Responded to by Station No. 1.
	Insurance on buildings, \$3,500. Loss paid, \$2,310.
	Insurance on contents, \$800. Loss paid, \$325.

- Saturday, Berry street, between Third and Fourth. Two-story brick and
7th, frame building.
6.18 P. M., Cause of fire, defective dry-house.
Box 156. Covers spread, two.
Extinguishers used, two.
Patrol in service one hour and thirty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$4,000. Loss paid, \$150.
Insurance on contents, \$11,000. Loss paid, \$388.
- Monday, Out of Patrol district.
9th, Did not respond thereto.
4.5 A. M.,
Box 281.
- Tuesday, No. 633 Jackson street Three-story brick building.
10th, Cause of fire, carelessness with fire.
3.59 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$8,000. Estimated loss, \$50.
Insurance on contents, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$90.
- Tuesday, No. 908 Folsom street. Two-story frame building.
10th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
6.3 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
Box 158. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance, none. Damage, \$5.
- Wednesday, No. 110 Jessie street. Two-story frame building.
11th, Cause of fire, incendiary.
3.42 A. M., Extinguisher used, one.
A. D. T. Patrol in service one hour.
3.45 A. M., Responded to by Station No. 1.
Box 38. Fire held in check until arrival of Fire Department.
Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$100.
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$110.
- Wednesday, Nos. 304-6-8 Dupont street. Two-story frame buildings.
11th, Cause of fire, unknown.
9.58 A. M., Covers spread, twelve.
Box 46. Patrol in service one hour.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on buildings, \$2,250. Loss paid, \$227.50.
Insurance on contents, \$4,325. Loss paid, \$130.

Wednesday, South-west corner Seventeenth and Howard streets. Two-story
11th, frame building.

2.9 P. M., Cause of fire, defective stove-pipe.
Box 148. Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 2.

Thursday, Out of Patrol district.
12th, Did not respond thereto.

3.19 P. M.,
Box 326.

Thursday, Nos. 634 and 636 Commercial street. Four-story and basement
12th, brick building.

10.35 P. M., Cause of fire, carelessness with fire.
Box 27. Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, none.
Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$15.

Friday, No. 213 Hayes street. One-story frame building.
13th, Cause of fire, incendiary.

1.30 A. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
Box 81. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on building, \$200. Loss paid, \$175.
Insurance on contents, \$500. Loss paid, \$271.

Saturday, North-west side Third street, between Brannan and Townsend.
14th, One-story frame building.

1.30 P. M., Cause of fire, incendiary.
Still. Patrol in service forty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$250. Loss paid, \$60.
Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$540.

Sunday, Out of Patrol District.
15th, Did not respond thereto.

11.39 P. M.,
Box 274.

Tuesday, Nos. 113 to 121 Post street. Four-story brick building.
17th, Cause of fire, defective grate.

10.10 P. M., Covers spread, four.
A. D. T. Extinguishers used, one.
Fire extinguished by Patrol.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Patrol in service two hours.
Insurance on building, \$60,000. Estimated loss, \$50. No claim.
Insurance on contents, \$245,400. Estimated loss, \$25. No claim.

Wednesday, Out of Patrol district.
 18th, Did not respond thereto.
 11.10 P. M.,
 Box 238.

Monday, No. 630 Mission street. Two-story brick dwelling.
 23d, Cause of fire, sparks from grate.
 8.51 A. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Still, Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$40.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$200.

Tuesday, No. 222 Tehama street.
 24th, Needless alarm.
 12.24 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
 Box. 61. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Wednesday, Foot of Market street. One-story frame building.
 25th. Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
 6.12 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Box 15. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$10.

MARCH.

1880.

Wednesday, Out of Patrol district.
 3d, Did not respond thereto.
 2.37 P. M.,
 Box 246.

Wednesday, Out of Patrol district.
 3d, Did not respond thereto.
 2.43 P. M.,
 Box 326.

Wednesday, Nos. 32 to 34 Third street. Two-story frame building.
 3d, Cause of fire, supposed carelessness with cigar.
 9.45 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
 Still, Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$4,000. Estimated loss, \$50. No claim.
 Insurance on contents, \$4,500. Estimated loss, \$45. No claim.

- Friday, No. 110 Fourth street. Four-story frame building.
 5th, Cause of fire, defective range.
 4 P. M., Covers spread, three.
 Box 62. Patrol in service, forty-five minutes.
 Extinguishers used, two.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Fire held in check.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$300.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,500. Loss paid, \$82.
- Saturday, No. 12 Laskie street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 6th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 7.30 A. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Still. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$10.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
- Sunday, No. 824 Green street.
 7th. Needless alarm.
 1 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
 Box 8. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Monday, Out of Patrol district.
 8th, Did not respond thereto.
 10.38 P. M.
 A. D. T.
- Tuesday, No. 802 Market street. One-story frame building.
 9th, Cause of fire, goods in show-window too near gas jet.
 8 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
 Still. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
 Insurance on contents, \$3,500. Loss paid, \$691.50.
- Wednesday, Nos. 309 to 311 Sacramento street. Two-story and basement
 10th, brick building.
 9.16 P. M., Cause of fire, carelessness with candle.
 Box 31. Extinguishers used, two.
 Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Fire extinguished by Patrol No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$5,000. Loss paid, \$9.
 Insurance on contents, \$45,000. Loss paid, \$14.88.

- Thursday, No. 556 Brannan street. Four-story frame building.
 11th, Cause of fire, incendiary.
 8.39 P. M. Covers spread, two.
 Box 68. Patrol in service one hour and thirty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$2,500. Loss paid, \$1,950.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$522.15.
- Friday, Rear No. 421 Post street. One-story frame dwelling.
 12th, Cause of fire, supposed mice with matches.
 12.40 A. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 43. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$500. Loss paid, \$20.15.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
- Friday, Greenwich Street Wharf.
 12th, Cause of fire, rubbish on dirt dump.
 7.55 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Friday, Nos. 506 and 508 Market street. Two-story and basement brick
 12th, building.
 11.40 P. M., Cause of fire, carelessness with fire in second-hand stove.
 11.43 P. M., Extinguishers used, two.
 Still and Fire extinguished by Patrol. In service one hour.
 Box 38. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$35.
 Insurance on contents, \$22,125. Loss paid, \$10.
- Saturday, Corner Greenwich and Taylor streets. Frame dwellings.
 13th, Cause of fire, unknown.
 5.47 A. M., Covers spread, seventeen.
 5.54 " Patrol in service four hours.
 6.4 " Responded to by Station No. 1.
 6.28 " Insurance on dwellings, \$31,100. Loss paid, \$8,401.
 Box 2, Insurance on contents, \$13,150. Loss paid, \$2,591.50.
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- Sunday, No. 130 Sixth street. Four-story and basement frame building.
 14th, Cause of fire, carelessness with cigar.
 1.44 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none.
 Insurance on contents, \$5,000. Loss paid, \$75.

Sunday, Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s Wharf. Steamer City of New York.
 14th, Cause of fire, spontaneous combustion in case of oil clothing.
 7.56 P. M., Covers spread, twenty-nine.
 Box 59. Patrol in service six hours.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on steamer, none. Estimated loss, \$6,000.
 Insurance on cargo, none. Estimated loss, \$30,000.

Sunday, Nos. 246 to 250 Beale street. Two and one-story frame dwellings.
 14th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
 8 P. M., Covers spread, eight.
 Box 51. Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwellings, \$2,150. Loss paid, \$375.
 Insurance on contents, \$900. Loss paid, \$320.

Sunday, Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s Wharf.
 14th, Needless alarm.
 8.25 P. M., Patrol in service six hours, as before stated.
 Box 59. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Sunday, Nos. 15 and 17 Stockton street. Two-story brick and frame
 14th, buildings.
 10.19 P. M., Cause of fire, incendiary.
 A. D. T. Extinguisher used, one.
 Fire extinguished by Patrol.
 Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$80.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$75.

Thursday, Out of Patrol district.
 18th, Did not respond thereto.
 5.39 A. M.,
 Box 219.

Thursday, Nos. 520 to 532 East street. Frame buildings.
 18th, Cause of fire, defective furnace.
 10.10 P. M., Covers spread, twenty.
 Box 19. Patrol in service two hours.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on buildings, none. Estimated loss, \$4,350.
 Insurance on contents, \$6,000. Loss paid, \$1,188.

- Saturday, 20th, 3.34 A. M., Box 78. Rear of No. 220 Ninth street. One-story frame stable. Cause of fire, drunkenness and pipe-smoking in bed. Patrol in service forty minutes. Responded to by Station No. 2. Insurance on buildings, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$10. Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
- Saturday, 20th, 7.41 P. M., Box 224. Out of Patrol district. Did not respond thereto.
- Saturday, 20th, 11.5 P. M., Box 147. Kansas street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth. One-story frame dwelling. Cause of fire, incendiary. Patrol in service fifty minutes. Responded to by Station No. 2. Insurance on dwelling, \$400. Loss paid, \$341.65. Insurance on contents, none.
- Sunday, 21st, 2.12 A. M., Box 41 & A. D. T. No. 931 Sutter street. Two-story frame dwelling. Cause of fire, sparks from chimney. Patrol in service twenty-five minutes. Responded to by Station No. 1. Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
- Sunday, 21st, 11.17 P. M., Box 19. No. 413 Drumm street. One-story frame building. Cause of fire, drunkenness. Patrol in service twenty minutes. Responded to by Station No. 1. Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$100. Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$150.
- Monday, 22d, 10.14 P. M., A. D. T. No. 305 Berry street. One-story and basement frame building. Cause of fire, sparks from chimney. Patrol in service twenty-five minutes. Responded to by Station No. 1. Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
- Tuesday, 23d, 6.53, 6.54, 6.55 P. M., Bell Tel., Box 56, A. D. T. Corner of Bryant and Beale streets. One-story frame store-house building. Cause of fire, spontaneous combustion. Extinguishers used, one. Fire held in check. Patrol in service thirty-five minutes. Responded to by Station No. 1. Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$500.

- Wednesday, S. E. corner Oak and Octavia sts. Two-story frame building.
 24th, Cause of fire, carelessness with cigar.
 12.15 P. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 83, Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$2,500. Loss paid, \$30.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$24.
- Thursday, Nos. 1016 and 1018 Market street. Three-story frame building.
 25th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 7.15 A. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Bell Tel. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$5,000. Loss paid, \$40.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,900. Loss paid, \$100.
- Thursday, Out of Patrol district.
 25th, Did not respond thereto.
 10.24 P. M.,
 A. D. T.
- Friday, No. 612 Jackson street. Two-story and basement brick building.
 26th, Cause of fire, supposed explosion of coal-oil lamp.
 5.44 A. M., Covers spread, six.
 Box 17, Patrol in service two hours.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$2,500.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$15.
- Saturday, South-west cor. Stackton and Vallejo streets.
 27th, Needless alarm.
 6.35 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Box 8. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Saturday, Rear of No. 856 Howard street. Two-story frame building.
 27th, Cause of fire, incendiary.
 10.41 P. M., Patrol in service one hour.
 Box 64. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, \$500. Loss paid \$250.
 Insurance on contents, \$3,200. Loss paid, \$210.50.
- Sunday, Nos. 733 to 737 Broadway. Two-story frame building.
 28th, Cause of fire unknown.
 1.15 P. M., Covers spread, three.
 Box 14. Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building \$1,500. Loss paid, \$569.75.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$1,100.

APRIL.

1880.

Thursday, South-west cor. Sansome and Clay streets.

1st, Needless alarm.

7.35 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.

Box 26. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Wednesday, North-east cor. Beale and Bryant. Two-story frame building.

7th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.

8.20 P. M., Covers spread, four.

Bell Tel. Patrol in service fifty minutes.

Responded to by Station No. 1.

Insurance on building, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$325.

Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$110.

Thursday, No. 321 California street. Three-story brick building.

8th, Cause of fire, wooden ash-box.

1.28 A. M., Extinguishers used, one.

A. D. T. Fire extinguished by Patrol.

Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.

Responded to by Station No. 1.

Estimated loss, \$5.

Thursday, Nos. 629 and 631 Davis st. One and two-story frame buildings.

8th, Cause of fire, defective gas-pipe.

3.24 P. M., Covers spread, four.

Box 13. Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.

Responded to by Station No. 1.

Insurance on buildings, none. Estimated loss, \$200.

Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$50.

Thursday, No. 118 Mission street. Two-story brick building.

8th, Cause of fire, friction of machinery.

7.39 P. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.

A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Insurance on contents, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$65.

Friday, No. 7 Trinity street. One-story frame building.

9th, Cause of fire, incendiary.

7.28 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.

A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Insurance on building, none. No damage.

Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$1.

- Monday, No. 700 Ellis street. Two-story frame building.
 12th, Cause of fire unknown.
 1.41 A. M., Extinguishers used, two.
 Box 94. Fire held in check until arrival of Fire Department.
 Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$175.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,500. Loss paid, \$960.
- Tuesday, No. 142 Third street. One-story frame building.
 13th, Cause of fire, goods in window catching fire from gas-light.
 7.30 P. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Still. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. No damage.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,800. Loss paid, \$207.33.
- Wednesday, Corner of Buchanan and Haight streets.
 14th, Needless alarm.
 11.39 A. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Box 87. Responded to by Station No. 2.
- Thursday, Out of Patrol district.
 15th, Did not respond thereto.
 5.42 A. M.,
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 5.53 "
 Box 213.
 Bell Tel.,
 Box 217.
- Tuesday, Nos. 309-311-313 Sacramento street. Two-story and basement
 20th, brick building.
 7.47 A. M., Cause of fire, defective stove-pipe.
 Box 26. Covers spread, forty-nine.
 Patrol in service, two hours and thirty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$9,000. Loss paid, \$340.52.
 Insurance on contents, \$83,000. Loss paid, \$6,042.50.
- Friday, Vallejo street, corner of Front and Battery. One and two-story
 23d, frame and brick building.
 10.5 P. M., Cause of fire, unknown.
 Box 5. Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$10,300. Loss paid, \$280.
 Insurance on contents, \$400. Loss paid, \$375.

- Saturday, No. 936 Howard street.
 24th, Chimney fire.
 10.36 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
 Box 64. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Sunday, Rear No. 823 Market street. One-story frame building.
 25th, Cause of fire, defective furnace.
 3.2 A. M. Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Box 47. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Sunday, No. 50 Stewart street.
 25th, Chimney fire.
 6.11 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Box 34. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Wednesday, No. 134 Sixth street. Four-story and basement frame building.
 28th, Cause of fire, unknown.
 1.31 A. M., Patrol in service one hour.
 Box 65. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$702.14.
 Insurance on building, none.
- Friday, No. 37 Sutter street. One-story frame and brick building.
 30th, Cause of fire, unknown.
 2.50 A. M., Covers spread, two.
 Box 46. Patrol in service one hour.
 and Responded to by Station No. 1.
 A. D. T. Extinguishers used, one.
 Fire held in check until arrival of Fire Department.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$200.
 Insurance on contents, \$4,100. Loss paid, \$1,447.

MAY.

1880.

- Monday, No. 626 Sacramento street. Two-story and basement brick
 3d, building.
 1.45 A. M., Cause of fire, supposed carelessness with cigar.
 Box 27. Covers spread, one.
 Extinguishers used, two.
 Fire held in check until arrival of Fire Department.
 Patrol in service, fifty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$4,000. Loss paid, \$340.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$228.50.

- Tuesday, No. 313 Fremont street. Two-story and basement frame building.
 4th, Cause of fire, supposed incendiary.
 12.30 A. M., Extinguishers used, one.
 Box 58. Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$4,000. Loss paid, \$1,000.
- Tuesday, No. 618 to 620 Merchant street. Three-story frame building.
 4th, Cause of fire, defective furnace.
 4.30 P. M., Extinguishers used, one.
 Bell Tel. Covers spread, one.
 Fire extinguished by Patrol.
 Patrol in service, thirty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$10.00.
- Sunday, No. 913 Clay street.
 9th, Needless alarm.
 7.13 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Bell Tel. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Monday, Out of Patrol district.
 10th, Did not respond thereto.
 3.3 A. M.,
 Box 231.
- Friday, Front Street Wharf. Coal oil on wharf.
 14th, Cause of fire, sparks from engine.
 2.5 P. M., Patrol in service, twenty-five minutes.
 Box 5. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on coal oil, none. Estimated loss, \$250.
- Friday, No. 1 Dupont street. Four-story brick building.
 14th, Cause of fire, gaslight.
 7.45 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Still. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. No damage.
 Insurance on contents, \$8,000. Loss paid, \$98.60.
- Saturday, No. 2530 Bryant street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 15th, Cause of fire, supposed carelessness with candle.
 7.16 A. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Box 234. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$50.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$10.

Saturday, Brannan and Townsend streets, Stanford and Clarence place.
 One story frame building.
 15th, Cause of fire, defective furnace.
 8.9 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 57. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on Building, none. Estimated loss, \$25.

Monday, No. 417 McAllister. Two story frame dwelling.
 17th, Cause of fire, carelessness with matches.
 9.19 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
 9.23 " Responded to by Station No. 2.
 9.27 " Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$5.
 Still. Insurance on contents, \$2,000. Estimated loss, \$50.
 Box 91,
 " 92.

Friday, Nos. 406 and 408 Sansome street. Three-story brick building.
 21st, Cause of fire, supposed friction of machinery.
 6.13 P. M., Covers spread, ten.
 Box 31 and Extinguishers used, two.
 A. D. T. Fire held in check until arrival of Fire Department.
 Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none.
 Insurance on contents, \$15,500. Loss paid, \$1,641.36.

Saturday, York street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets.
 22d, Two-story frame dwelling.
 4.11 P. M., Cause of fire, defective stove.
 Box 235. Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling \$1,000. Loss paid, \$362.
 Insurance on contents, \$200. Loss paid, \$136.

Sunday, Nos. 515 and 517 Hayes street. Two-story frame building.
 23d, Cause of fire unknown.
 2.18 P. M., Covers spread, ten.
 Box 82. Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, \$1,700. Loss paid, \$95.
 Insurance on contents, \$8,000. Loss paid, \$2,456.

Monday, Nos. 26, 28, 30 and 32 Montgomery street. One and three-story
 24th, brick building.
 1.56 A. M., Cause of fire, incendiary.
 2.2 " Covers spread, six.

- A.D.T. and Extinguishers used, two.
 Box 46. Fire held in check until arrival of Fire Department.
 Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$7,000. Loss paid, \$655.
 Insurance on contents, \$4,900. Loss paid, \$1,992.77.
- Tuesday, Nos. 126 to 138 Third st. One and two-story frame dwellings.
 25th, Cause of fire, supposed defective furnace.
 8.56 P. M., Covers spread, sixty-two.
 Bell. Tel., Extinguishers used, three.
 Box 61. Patrol in service two hours.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$2,500. Loss paid, \$67.
 Insurance on contents, \$18,800. Loss paid, \$5,934.75.
- Thursday, No. 40 Mary street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 27th, Cause of fire, children with matches.
 6.7 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 64. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$100.
- Friday, North-east cor. Bush and Larkin sts. Two-story frame building.
 28th, Cause of fire, sparks from chimney.
 1.5 P. M. Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 135. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
- Saturday, No. 816 Mission street. Two-story frame building.
 29th, Cause of fire, defective furnace.
 1.9 A. M., Patrol in service.
 Box 62. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$2,000. Estimated loss, \$25.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$50.
- Saturday, No. 515 Commercial st. One-story and basement frame building.
 29th, Cause of fire, tinker's stove.
 10.15 P. M., Covers spread, one.
 Box 31. Extinguishers used, one.
 Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Fire extinguished by patrol.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$1,000. Estimated loss, \$25.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,000. Estimated loss, \$20.

- Sunday, No. 442 Jessie street. Two-story frame dwelling.
30th, Cause of fire unknown.
- 1.10 A. M., Patrol in service fifty-five minutes.
Box 65. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwelling, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$410.
Insurance on contents, \$500. Loss paid, \$50.
- Sunday, Nos. 442 and 444 Jessie street. Two-story frame dwellings.
30th, Cause of fire, re-kindling of the above.
3.8 A. M., Extinguishers used, one.
Box 65. Patrol in service one hour.
Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwellings, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$75.
Insurance on contents, \$900. Loss paid, \$3.
- Sunday, Nos. 300 to 306 Montgomery street. Four-story brick building.
30th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
8.7 A. M., Extinguishers used, one.
A. D. T. Fire extinguished by Patrol.
Patrol in service fifty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$33,000. Loss paid, \$100.
- Monday, No. 46 Spear street. Two-story frame building.
31st, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
11.11 A. M., Patrol in service twenty-eight minutes.
Box 32. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$5.
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$50.
- Monday, No. 8 Heywood street. One-story frame dwelling.
31st, Cause of fire, children with matches.
3.25 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Box 157. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
Insurance on contents, none. No damage.

JUNE.

1880.

- Thursday, Nos. 821 and 823 Filbert street. Two-story frame dwellings.
3d, Cause of fire, incendiary.
- 3.16 A. M., Covers spread, two.
Box 8. Patrol in service fifty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on dwellings, \$3,100. Loss paid, \$1,177.
Insurance on contents, \$500. Loss paid, \$200.

- Thursday, Alabama street, near Santa Clara. Two-story frame building.
 3d, Cause of fire, sparks from chimney.
 3.24 P. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Box 146. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$300.
- Monday, Laguna street, between Market and Haight.
 7th, Needless alarm.
 1.30 P. M., Patrol in service, forty minutes.
 Box 84. Responded to by Station No. 2.
- Monday, No. 25 Frederick street. Two and one-story frame dwellings.
 7th, Cause of fire, incendiary.
 6.13 P. M., Covers spread, four.
 Box 56. Patrol in service, fifty minutes.
 and Responded to by Station No. 1.
 A. D. T. Insurance on dwellings, \$1,700. Loss paid, \$830.
 Insurance on contents, \$750. Loss paid, \$25.
- Monday, No. 27 Frederick street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 7th, Cause of fire, re-kindling of fire at No. 25 Frederick street.
 9.25 P. M., Covers spread, six.
 Box 56. Patrol in service, forty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwellings, \$800. Loss paid, \$22.50.
 Insurance on contents, none. No damage.
- Thursday, North-west corner Broadway and Sansome streets. Three-story
 10th, brick building.
 2.20 A. M., Cause of fire, defective wooden flue.
 Box 26. Covers spread, one hundred and four.
 Patrol in service, two hours.
 Responded to by Stations No. 1 and No. 2.
 Insurance on building, \$15,000. Loss paid, \$3,700.
 Insurance on contents, \$70,000. Loss paid, \$38,772.25.
- Friday, West side Montgomery, between Post and Sutter.
 11th, Needless alarm.
 3.10 A. M., Patrol in service, twenty minutes.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Friday, False alarm.
 11th, Patrol in service, ten minutes.
 7.56 A. M., Responded to by Station No. 1.
 A. D. T.

- Sunday, False alarm.
 13th, Patrol in service, twenty minutes.
 5.53 P. M., Responded to by Station No. 1.
 A. D. T.
- Tuesday, No. 1508 Howard street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 15th, Cause of fire, carelessness with lamp.
 9.2 P. M., Patrol in service, forty minutes.
 Box 71, Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$300. Loss paid, \$5.00.
 Insurance on contents, \$200. Loss paid, \$5.00.
- Wednesday, Nos. 812 to 816 Pacific st. Two and one-story frame dwellings.
 16th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
 9.15 P. M., Covers spread, two.
 Box 14, Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwellings, \$2,700. Loss paid, \$1,045.
 Insurance on contents, \$5,450. Loss paid, \$371.
- Thursday, Potrero Avenue, between 15th and 16th streets. Two-story
 17th, frame building and shed.
 3.54 A. M., Cause of fire, spontaneous combustion.
 Box 238, Responded to by buggy.
 In service, one hour.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
 Insurance on contents, \$800. Loss paid, \$20.
- Thursday, Nos. 229 to 233 Jessie street. Frame dwellings.
 17th, Cause of fire, supposed sparks from chimney.
 5.29 P. M., Covers spread, twenty-eight.
 Box 62, Patrol in service, one hour.
 Responded to by Stations Nos. 1 and 2.
 Insurance on dwellings, \$1,900. Loss paid, \$694.50.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$184.
- Friday, Rear of No. 17 Laskie street. One-story frame building.
 18th, Cause of fire, over-heated coffee roaster.
 2.1 P. M., Patrol in service, forty minutes.
 Box 183, Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$25.

Saturday, Corner Kansas and Santa Clara Avenues. One-story frame
19th, building.

10.15 A. M., Cause of fire, boiling over of kettle of varnish.
Box 238. Patrol in service, fifty minutes.
Responded to by buggy.
Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$500.
Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$1,500.

Saturday, No. 630 Commercial street. Four-story brick building.
19th, Cause of fire, unknown.

11.51 P. M., Patrol in service one and a half hours.
Box 27. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$10,000. Loss paid, \$300.
Insurance on contents, \$23,500. Loss paid, \$17,147.

Tuesday, Rear of 607 Hyde street.
22d, Needless alarm.

1.34 A. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Box 139. Responded to by Station No. 2.

Wednesday, St. Mary's Hospital.
23d, Needless alarm.

6.48 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Box 56. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Saturday, No. 522 Mission street. Two-story frame dwelling.
26th, Cause of fire, wooden ash box.

4.49 P. M., Covers spread, two.
and Extinguishers used, two.
5.1 P. M., Fire extinguished by Patrol.
Still and Patrol in service forty minutes.
Box 52. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on dwelling, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$47.

Wednesday, Fourth and Market streets.
30th, Needless alarm.

5.10 P. M., Patrol in service, twenty minutes.
A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.

JULY.

1880.

Saturday, No. 225 Tenth street. One-story frame dwelling.
3rd, Cause of fire, fireworks.

2.29 P. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
Box 78. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwelling, \$500. Loss paid, \$125.
Insurance on contents, \$300. Loss paid, \$213.

Sunday, No. 229 Eighth street. Two-story frame dwelling.
4th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
12.7 P. M., Patrol in service ten minutes.
Box 73. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwelling, \$1,200. Loss paid, \$6.
Insurance on contents, none. No damage.

Sunday, No. 728 Clementina street. Two-story frame dwelling.
4th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
12.20 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Still. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwelling, \$700. Loss paid, \$8.

Sunday, No. 223 Third street. Three-story frame building.
4th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
2.56 P. M., Extinguishers used, one.
Box 61. Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$45.
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$25.

Sunday, Front street wharf. One-story frame building.
4th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
4.56 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Box 13. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, none. Damage, \$25.

Sunday, No. 405 McAllister street. Rear, frame dwelling.
4th, Cause of fire, sparks from fireworks.
7.30 P. M., Patrol in service fifteen minutes.
Still. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$15.

Sunday, No. 127 Oak street.
4th, Needless alarm.
8.17 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Box 83. Responded to by Station No. 2.

- Monday, No. 23 Guerrero street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 5th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
 1.19 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
 Box 84. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$65.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
- Monday, Rear of No. 415 Mason street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 5th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
 3.5 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 42. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
- Monday, South-east corner Steiner and Turk streets. Two-story frame
 5th, building.
 6.16 P. M., Cause of fire, fireworks.
 Box 174. Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$50.
- Monday, No. 530 Turk street.
 5th, Needless alarm.
 7.10 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 91. Responded to by Station No. 2.
- Monday, Union street.
 5th, Needless alarm.
 7.19 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Box 8. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Monday, No. 812 Twentieth street. One-story frame dwelling.
 5th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
 10.30 P. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 142. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$10.
- Monday, No. 1003 Minna street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 5th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
 11.20 P. M., Patrol in service fifteen minutes.
 Still. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$14.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$10.

- Monday, North-east corner Turk and Larkin and 508 Larkin. Two and
5th, one-story frame buildings.
- 11.38 P. M., Cause of fire, fireworks.
Box 91. Covers spread, five.
Patrol in service one hour.
Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on buildings, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$19 50.
Insurance on contents, \$600. Loss paid, \$500.
- Tuesday, No. 66 Brady street. Two-story frame dwelling.
6th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
- 1.50 A. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Box 84. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwelling, \$400. Loss paid, \$175.
- Tuesday, Rear of No. 615 Pine street. Lot of rubbish.
6th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
- 11.33 A. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
Box 28. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Tuesday, No. 35 Essex street.
6th, Needless alarm.
- 1.22 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Box 58. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Tuesday, No. 601 Stockton street.
6th, Cause of fire, fireworks.
- 10.13 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
No damage.
- Thursday, No. 77-79 Stevenson street. Two-story frame building.
8th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
- 5.45 A. M., Extinguishers used, one.
Still. Fire extinguished by Patrol.
Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$1,000. Estimated loss, \$5. No claim.
- Thursday, North-west corner First and Folsom streets. Two-story frame
8th, building.
- 8.49 P. M., Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
Box 58. Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$50.

- Friday, Sixth Avenue, South San Francisco.
 9th, Responded to by buggy.
 3.16 A. M., Out of Patrol district.
 Box 281.
- Friday, No. 623 Seventh street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 9th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 7.1 P. M., Covers spread, four.
 Box 152. Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$1,600. Loss paid, \$75.
 Insurance on contents, \$600. Loss paid, \$33.
- Monday, No. 117 Shipley and 218-220 Clara street. Two-story frame
 12th, dwellings.
 5.4 P. M., Cause of fire, children with matches.
 Box 159. Covers spread, five.
 Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwellings, \$2,800. Loss paid, \$1,030.
 Insurance on contents, \$400. Loss paid, \$195.50.
- Monday, No. 407 East street. Two-story frame building.
 12th, Cause of fire, unknown.
 8.45 P. M., Covers spread, two.
 Box 15. Extinguishers used, two.
 Fire extinguished by Patrol.
 Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$50.
 Insurance on contents, \$500. Loss paid, \$195.36.
- Tuesday, No. 7 Haggin street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 13th, Cause of fire, spontaneous combustion.
 1.36 A. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 156. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 No damage.
- Wednesday, West side Sanchez, 28th and 29th streets. One-story frame
 14th, dwellings.
 4.30 P. M., Cause of fire, carelessness with matches.
 Box 236. Patrol in service two hours.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwellings, \$1,300. Loss paid, \$920.
 Insurance on contents, \$700. Loss paid, \$537.25.

Wednesday, South-west corner Valencia and Eighteenth streets.

14th, Cause of fire, children with matches.

4.40 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.

Box 142. Responded to by Station No. 2. No damage.

Wednesday, No. 959 Bryant street. One-story frame dwelling.

14th, Cause of fire, attempted incendiary.

8.46 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.

Box 154. Responded to by Station No. 2. No damage.

Thursday, No. 23 Park avenue.

15th, Needless alarm.

11 A. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.

Box 154. Responded to by Station No. 2.

Thursday, North-east corner Twenty-sixth and Mission streets. Two-story
15th, frame building.

7.18 P. M., Cause of fire, children with matches.

Box 236. Covers spread, three.

Patrol in service one hour.

Responded to by Station No. 2.

Insurance on building, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$30.

Insurance on contents, \$2,050. Loss paid, \$30.

Sunday, No. 638 Jessie street. Two-story frame dwelling.

18th, Cause of fire, upsetting of coal oil lamp.

10.44 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.

Box 75. Responded to by Station No. 2.

Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$50.

Saturday, Rear of No. 130 to 136 Main street. One-story frame building.

24th, Cause of fire, sparks from smoke-stack.

3.40 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.

Box 39. Responded to by Station No. 1. No damage.

Wednesday, South side Market, Fourth and Fifth streets.

28th, Needless alarm.

3.35 A. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.

Box 62. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Thursday, Baldwin court.

29th, Needless alarm.

6.15 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.

Box 58. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Friday, South-east corner Sullivan street and Sullivan alley, rear Jackson
 30th, street. Two and three story brick building.
 4.51 P. M., Cause of fire, explosion of coal oil lamp.
 Box 25 and Patrol in service one hour.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$5,000. Loss paid \$2,930.
 Insurance on contents, \$7,000. Loss paid, \$1,751.65.

AUGUST.

1880.

Tuesday, No. 903 Sutter street. Three-story frame dwelling.
 3d, Cause of fire, carelessness with matches.
 1.40 A. M., Patrol in service one hour.
 Box 41. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$7,750. Loss paid, \$185.
 Insurance on contents, \$8,000. Loss paid, \$577.50.

Tuesday, Nos. 107 to 112 William and rear Nos. 518-20 Geary street.
 3d, Two-story frame dwellings.
 2.1 P. M., Cause of fire, unknown.
 2.3 " Covers spread, fourteen.
 2.16 " Patrol in service one hour.
 Box 45 and Responded to by Station No. 2.
 A. D. T. Insurance on dwellings, \$5,850. Loss paid, \$1,465.
 Box 41. Insurance on contents, \$500. Loss paid, \$20.

Thursday, Nos. 519 to 523 Battery. Four-story brick building.
 5th, Cause of fire, friction of machinery.
 12.46 A. M. Covers spread, 104.
 Box 13. Patrol in service two and one-half hours.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$2,500.
 Insurance on contents, \$13,000. Loss paid, \$6,050.

Friday, Hayes street, near Laguna street.
 6th, Needless alarm.
 6.17 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Box 85. Responded to by Station No. 2.

Saturday, S. E. cor. Commercial and Leidesdorff. Two-story frame building.
 7th, Cause of fire, defective stove pipe.
 6.57 P. M., Covers spread, 27.
 Box 27. Patrol in service two hours.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$300.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,150. Loss paid, \$350.

- Sunday, Nos. 634 to 640 Washington street. Two-story brick building.
8th, Cause of fire unknown.
- 11.30 P. M., Covers spread, one.
Box 17. Extinguishers used, one.
Patrol in service forty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$9,000, Loss paid, 171.50.
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$75.
- Tuesday, No. 125 Main street. Two-story frame building.
10th, Cause of fire, defective stove pipe.
- 6.10 A. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Box 39. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$1,000. Estimated loss, \$5; no claim.
Insurance on contents, \$1,000. No loss.
- Thursday, Out of Patrol district.
12th, Did not respond thereto.
- 9.33 A. M.,
Box 245.
- Friday, S. W. cor. El Dorado and Rhode Island streets. One-story frame
13th, building.
- 1.50 A. M., Cause of fire, defective furnace.
Box 158. Patrol in service forty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on building, \$100. Loss paid, \$100.
Insurance on contents, \$300. Loss paid, \$165.
- Friday, No. 1339 Pine street. One-story frame building.
13th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal oil stove
- 10.11 A. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
Box 138. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$2.50
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$5.
- Tuesday, No. 813 Battery street. Two-story frame building.
17th, Cause of fire, defective stove pipe.
- 9.29 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Box 13. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$5.
- Friday, Nos. 113 and 115 First street. Two-story frame buildings.
20th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
- 9.41 A. M., Covers spread, twelve.

- Box 52. Patrol in service forty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on buildings, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$100.
Insurance on contents, \$500. Estimated loss, \$60; no claim.
- Saturday, Nos. 721 and 723 Market street. Five-story brick building.
21st, Cause of fire, defective flue.
- 3.53 A. M., Patrol in service two hours.
Box 48. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$60,000. Estimated loss, \$75; no claim.
Insurance on contents, \$139,500. No loss.
- NOTE.—The above building was filled with smoke and quickly ventilated by Patrol, which saved great damage to stock of books.
- Tuesday, Fulton street, near First Avenue. Two-story frame building.
24th, Cause of fire, supposed explosion of coal oil lamp.
- 1.10 A. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
Box 172. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on building, \$12,599.96. Loss paid, \$12,305.05.
Insurance on contents, \$6,450.04. Loss paid, \$5,000.67.
- Wednesday, Rear of No. 320 Bartlett street. Two-story frame buildings.
25th, Cause of fire, children with matches.
- 2.37 P. M., Covers spread, one.
Box 236. Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on buildings, \$200. Loss paid, \$50.
Contents, no damage.
- Sunday, North-west corner Post and Stockton streets. One-story frame
29th, building.
- 12.29 A. M., Cause of fire, hot ashes.
Box 49. Covers spread, seven.
Patrol in service one hour.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$3,350. Loss paid, \$337.
Insurance on contents, \$5,250. Loss paid, \$175.
- Sunday, Nos. 407 to 417 Commercial street. Three-story brick building.
29th, Cause of fire, unknown, but supposed defective Chinese furnace.
- 2.24 P. M., Covers spread, eighty-four.
Box 26, Patrol in service two hours.
Responded to by Stations Nos. 1 and 2.
Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$3,005.
Insurance on contents, \$24,100. Loss paid, \$3,185.15.

SEPTEMBER.

1880.

Wednesday, Out of Patrol district.

1st, Did not respond thereto.

2.15 A. M.,

Box 7.

Wednesday, No. 214 Sixth street. Three-story frame building.

1st, Cause of fire, unknown.

10.15 P. M., Patrol in service one hour.

Box 159. Responded to by Station No. 2.

Insurance on building, \$5,500. Loss paid, \$160.

Insurance on contents, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$2,705.

Thursday, No. 931 Market street. Three-story frame building.

2d, Cause of fire, carelessness with candle.

11.25 A. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.

Box 47. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$5.

Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$120.

Friday. Out of Patrol district.

3d, Did not respond thereto.

12.55 P. M.,

Box 235.

Saturday, South-east corner Market and Main streets. One and two-story frame buildings.

4th,

5.34 A. M., Cause of fire, unknown.

Box 32. Covers spread, twenty-four.

Patrol in service one and a half hours.

Responded to by Station No. 1.

Insurance on buildings, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$100.

Insurance on contents, \$17,500. Loss paid, \$2,269.

Saturday, Water street.

4th, Needless alarm.

4.28 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.

Box 2. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Saturday, Out of Patrol district.

4th. Did not respond thereto.

8.25 P. M.,

Box 321.

- Sunday, North-west corner Bryant and Main streets. Two-story frame
5th, building.
2.7 A. M., Cause of fire, unknown.
Box 59. Patrol in service two and a half hours.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$1,000.
Insurance on contents, \$16,000. Loss paid, \$1,200.
- Monday, Hampshire street, Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets. Two-
6th, story frame dwelling.
1 A. M., Cause of fire, unknown.
Box 149. Covers spread, two.
Patrol in service fifty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwelling, \$900. Loss paid, \$365.
Insurance on contents, \$350. Loss paid, \$10.
- Monday, Nos. 245 and 247 Fourth street. Two-story frame dwelling.
6th, Cause of fire, unknown.
7.20 P. M., Covers spread, seven.
Box 157. Patrol in service one hour.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on dwelling, \$500. Loss paid, \$100.
Insurance on contents, \$2,100. Loss paid, \$454.25.
- Tuesday, Nos. 856 Dupont street, and 737 Washington street. Three-story
7th, brick buildings.
6.44 A. M., Cause of fire, defective Chinese range.
Box 25. Covers spread, twenty-seven.
Patrol in service two hours.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on buildings, \$6,000, Loss paid, \$263.
Insurance on contents, \$12,600. Loss paid, \$978.69.
- Tuesday, North-west corner New Montgomery and Howard streets. Two-
7th, story brick building.
9.24 A. M., Cause of fire, carelessness with cigar.
Still and Covers spread, eighteen.
Box 54. Extinguishers used, one.
Fire held in check until arrival of Fire Department.
Patrol in service one hour.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$200,
Insurance on contents, \$20,000. Loss paid, \$81.

- Saturday, Nos. 1,628, 1,630 Mission street. One-story frame dwelling.
 11th. Cause of fire, defective stove.
 8.53 P. M., Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 Box 72. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwellings, \$500. Loss paid, \$50.
 Insurance on contents, \$350. No damage.
- Sunday, Nos. 12 to 18 Sixth street. Two-story frame buildings.
 12th, Cause of fire, incendiary.
 12.21 A. M., Covers spread, seven.
 Box 95. Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on buildings, \$9,750. Loss paid, \$537.
 Insurance on contents, \$5,800. Loss paid, \$1,608.65.
- Monday, Nos. 618 Jackson street. Three-story brick building.
 13th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal oil lamp.
 9.4 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 No damage to building.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
- Tuesday, False alarm.
 14th, Patrol in service fifteen minutes.
 8.9 A. M., Responded to by Station No. 1.
 A. D. T.
- Tuesday, Nos. 110, 112 Eddy street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 14th, Cause of fire, sparks from chimney.
 12.47 P. M., Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 Box 47. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$10.
- Tuesday, Rear of 339 Fourth street. Two-story frame building.
 14th, Cause of fire, children with matches.
 5.27 P. M., Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 Box 63. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Estimated loss, \$1. on building.
- Thursday, No. 717 Stockton street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 16th, Cause of fire, sparks from chimney.
 6.24 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 29. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$10.

- Friday, Nos. 802, 804 Jones street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 17th, Cause of fire, carelessness with matches.
 10.52 A. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 41. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$3,500. Loss paid, \$25.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,500. No damage.
- Saturday, Nos. 238, 240 Third street. One-story frame building.
 18th, Cause of fire, supposed explosion of coal oil lamp.
 8.8 P. M., Covers spread, seven.
 Box 61. Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$100. Loss paid, \$70.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,300. Loss paid, \$465.50.
- Monday, Corner Haight and Gough streets.
 20th, Needless alarm.
 6.50 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 84. Responded to by Station No. 2.
- Tuesday, No. 806 Kearny street.
 21st, Needless alarm.
 2.18 A. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Box 25. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Thursday, No. 726 Brannan street.
 23d, Needless alarm.
 1.37 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 154. Responded to by Station No. 2.
- Saturday, No. 217 Austin street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 25th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal oil lamp.
 8.50 P. M., Covers spread, one.
 Box 135. Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$100.
 Insurance on contents, \$600. Loss paid, \$78.25.
- Monday, Rear of 617, 619 Brannan street. Water tank.
 27th, Cause of fire, sparks from smoke-stack.
 9.54 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 182. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 No insurance. Estimated loss, \$5.

Tuesday, No. 1017 Clay street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 28th, Cause of fire, defective stove pipe.
 5.37 P. M., Covers spread, three.
 Box 24. Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$1,200. Loss paid, \$200.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$100.

Tuesday, Vallejo street, between Sansome and Battery streets.
 28th, Chimney fire.
 6.40 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Box 5. Responded to by Station No. 1.

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Saturday, North-west corner Army and Church streets. One-story frame
 2d, dwelling.
 3.40 A. M., Cause of fire, incendiary.
 Box 274. Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$300. Loss paid, \$300.

Saturday, No. 1609 Geary street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 2d, Cause of fire, sparks from chimney.
 3.3 P. M., Covers spread, three.
 Box 178. Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$1,400. Loss paid, \$32.50.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$10.

Saturday, No. 924 Stockton street. Two-story brick building.
 2d, Cause of fire, explosion of coal oil lamp.
 10.45 P. M., Covers spread, one.
 Box 25. Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$2,500. Loss paid, \$488.10.
 Insurance on contents, \$3,600. Loss paid, \$2,040.

Tuesday, No. 707 Hyde street.
 5th, Chimney fire.
 4.53 P. M., Patrol in service fifteen minutes.
 Box 139. Responded to by Station No. 2.

- Wednesday, No. 17 Pearl street. Two-story frame building.
 6th, Cause of fire, ashes.
 12.22 A. M., Covers spread, four.
 Box 72. Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, \$1,200. Loss paid, \$400.24.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$100.
- Thursday, No. 30 Clara street.
 7th, Chimney fire.
 5.21 P. M., Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 Box 63. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Saturday, Out of Patrol district.
 9th, Did not respond thereto.
 7.17 P. M.,
 Box 7.
- Monday, No. 329 O'Farrell street.
 11th, Chimney fire.
 6.58 P. M., Patrol in service fifteen minutes.
 Box 45. Responded to by Station No. 2.
- Wednesday, No. 238 Kearny street. Four-story brick building.
 13th, Cause of fire, supposed carelessness with matches.
 8.55 A. M., Covers spread, one.
 Still and Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$15,000. Loss paid, \$150.
 Insurance on contents, \$8,000. Loss paid, \$507.50.
- Friday, Nos. 34 to 38 New Montgomery, and No. 636 Mission streets.
 15th, Two-story brick buildings.
 3.50 P. M., Cause of fire, sparks from smoke-stack.
 Still. Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on buildings, none. Estimated loss, \$50.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$10.
- Sunday, South-east corner Mission and Steuart streets. Frame
 17th, buildings.
 3.1 P. M., Cause of fire, supposed sparks from chimney.
 3.11 P. M., Covers spread, thirty-six. (One cover burned.)
 Box 34. Extinguishers used, two.
 Patrol in service two and one-half hours.
 Responded to by Stations Nos. 1 and 2.
 Insurance on buildings, \$9,700. Loss paid, \$4,780.
 Insurance on contents, \$10,874. Loss paid, \$6,765.

- Sunday, Foot of Folsom street. Wharf and vessels.
 17th, Cause of fire, supposed sparks from the above fire.
 5.53 P. M., Covers spread, one.
 Box 36. Patrol in service one hour and ten minutes.
 Responded to by Stations Nos. 1 and 2.
 Insurance on wharf and vessels, none. Estimated loss, \$6,000.
 Insurance on contents and cargo, none. Estimated loss, \$4,350.
- Monday, No. 1912 Pacific avenue. Two-story frame dwelling.
 18th, Cause of fire, supposed ashes.
 2.29 A. M., Covers spread, nine.
 Box 129. Extinguishers used, one.
 Patrol in service one hour and forty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$5,000. Loss paid, \$3,600.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,000. Loss, \$800.
- Tuesday, Nos. 203-5-7 Mission street. Three-story frame building.
 19th, Cause of fire, friction of machinery.
 5.6 A. M., Covers spread, twenty-one.
 5.7 " Extinguishers used, two.
 5.21 " Fire held in check by Patrol until arrival of Fire Department.
 A. D. T. Patrol in service one hour.
 Box 32. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Box 52. Insurance on building, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$28.
 Insurance on contents, \$8,500. Loss paid, \$300.
- Friday, Nos. 9 and 11 Spear street. One-story frame buildings.
 22d, Cause of fire, defective stove.
 7.7 P. M., Covers spread, two.
 Box 32. Patrol in service one hour and fifteen minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on buildings, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$400.
 Insurance on contents, \$500. Loss paid, \$63.50.
- Saturday, No. 1805 Ellis street. One-story frame dwelling.
 23d, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 5.7 P. M., Covers spread, four.
 Box 174. Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$200.
- Sunday, No. 1216 Polk street. Two-story frame building.
 24th, Cause of fire, supposed carelessness with cigar.
 2.45 P. M., Covers spread, four.

- Box 135. Patrol in service thirty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$75.
Insurance on contents, \$1,800. Loss paid, \$80.
- Monday, No. 418 Sutter street. Four-story frame building.
25th, Cause of fire, upsetting of coal-oil lamp.
6.52 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1. No damage.
- Thursday, South-west corner Sacramento and Drumm streets. Two-story
28th, frame building.
8.32 P. M., Cause of fire, supposed carelessness with matches.
Box 32. Covers spread, one.
Patrol in service, forty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$4,000. Loss paid, \$194.
Insurance on contents, \$300. Loss paid, \$125.
- Saturday, Nos. 404 to 416 Kearny street. Three-story brick building.
30th, Cause of fire, unknown.
2.32 A. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
Box 12. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$11,250. Loss paid, \$54.35.
Insurance on contents, \$3,000. No damage.
- Saturday, North-east corner Sacramento and Montgomery streets. Four-
30th, story brick building.
8.57 P. M., Cause of fire, fireworks.
Box 27. Extinguishers used, one.
Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$20,000. Estimated loss, \$50—no claim.
- Saturday, False alarm.
30th, Patrol in service twenty minutes.
11 P. M., Responded to by Station No. 1.
A. D. T.
- Saturday, Nos. 929 and 931 Market street. Three-story frame building.
30th, Cause of fire, gas-light.
11.15 P. M., Patrol in service thirty minutes.
Still. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$28.50.
Insurance on contents, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$520.

Sunday, No. 642 Clay street. Three-story brick building.
 31st, Cause of fire, hot ashes.
 5.30 P. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Bell Tel. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Estimated loss on building, \$5.

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Wednesday, S. E. cor. Bush and Sansome streets. Four-story brick building.
 3d, Cause of fire, explosion of gunpowder.
 8.28 P. M., Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 Box 37. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$13,333.33 $\frac{1}{3}$. Loss paid, \$400.
 Insurance on contents, \$385,500. Loss paid, \$150.

Thursday, Rear No. 209 Sixth street. One-story frame building.
 4th, Cause of fire, children with matches.
 12.6 P. M., Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 Box 159. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$40.

Thursday, Nos. 1600, 1602 and 1604 Mission street. Two story frame
 4th, dwellings.
 5.43 P. M., Cause of fire, explosion of coal oil lamp.
 Box 72. Covers spread, six.
 Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on buildings, \$1,650. Loss paid, \$865.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,250. Loss paid, \$729.

Thursday, No. 463 Jessie street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 4th, Cause of fire, children with matches.
 7.14 P. M., Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 Box 65. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$800. Estimated loss, \$5; no claim.

Thursday, No. 509 Powell street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 4th, Cause of fire, spontaneous combustion.
 9.44 P. M., Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 Box 49. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 No insurance. Estimated loss, \$5.

Sunday, No. 20 Taylor street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 7th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal oil lamp.
 9.15 P. M., Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 Box 95. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$1,875. Estimated loss, \$10; no claim.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$50.

Tuesday, No. 753 Clay street. Three-story brick building.
 9th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal oil lamp.
 12.53 A. M., Covers spread, three.
 Box 25. Patrol in service one hour and twenty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$5,000. Loss paid, \$600.
 Insurance on contents, \$4,500. Loss paid, \$2,500.

Friday, Out of Patrol district.
 12th, Did not respond thereto.
 10.8 A. M.,
 Box 281.

Friday, No. 1718 Pine street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 12th, Cause of fire, children with candle.
 12.13 P. M., Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 Box 241. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$1,000. Estimated loss, \$800.
 Insurance on contents, \$500. Loss paid, \$500.

Saturday, No. 1 Sheerer Place. Two-story frame dwelling.
 13th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 2.51 P. M., Extinguishers used, one.
 Still. Fire extinguished by Patrol.
 Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$400. Loss paid, \$25.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$10.

Sunday, No. 750 Clay street. Three-story frame building.
 14th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
 4.25 A. M., Covers spread, three.
 Box 25. Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$250.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$250.

- Sunday, Nos. 507 and 509 Clay street. Two-story frame building.
 14th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil stove.
 4.39 P. M., Covers spread, one.
 Box 26. Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$7,000. Loss paid, \$25.
 Insurance on contents, \$550. Loss paid, \$25.
- Monday, Out of Patrol district.
 15th, Did not respond thereto.
 3.59 A. M.,
 Box 254.
- Tuesday, No. 104 Austin street.
 16th, Chimney fire.
 7.4 P. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 135. Responded to by Station No. 2.
- Wednesday, No. 24 Ellis street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 17th, Cause of fire, hot ashes in wooden box.
 12.46 A. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Box 43. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Estimated loss, \$2.50.
- Thursday, Rear of Nos. 1211 to 1223 Fillmore street. Frame sheds.
 18th, Cause of fire, hot ashes.
 6.26 P. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Box 174. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on sheds, none. Estimated loss, \$75.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$5.
- Thursday, No. 6 Sheerer Place. Three-story frame dwelling.
 18th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 7.9 P. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$400. Loss paid, \$10.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,150. Loss paid, \$15.
- Friday, Nos. 2 to 20 Stout's alley. Three-story brick buildings.
 19th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal oil lamp.
 5.25 A. M., Covers spread, nineteen.
 5.39 A. M., Patrol in service three hours.
 Box 25. Responded to by Stations Nos. 1 and 2, (3 wagons).
 Insurance on buildings, \$12,000. Loss paid, \$2,430.
 Insurance on contents, \$3,500. Loss paid, \$420.

- Friday, Out of Patrol district.
19th, Did not respond thereto.
5.42 P. M.,
Box 273.
- Friday, Nos. 726, 728 Folsom street. One and two-story frame dwellings.
19th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
6.26 P. M., Covers spread, seven.
Box 157. Patrol in service one and a half hours.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on dwellings, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$120.
Insurance on contents, \$500. Estimated loss, \$55.
- Sunday, Out of Patrol district.
21st, Did not respond thereto.
1.40 A. M.,
Box 235.
- Saturday, Nos. 112, 114 Washington street. One-story frame building.
27th, Cause of fire, defective stove.
6.30 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Box 19. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance on building, \$7,500. Loss paid, \$75.
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
- Sunday, No. 708 Sutter street.
28th, Needless alarm.
12.44 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Monday, Nos. 809 to 821 Market street. Two-story frame buildings.
29th, Cause of fire, unknown.
1.15 A. M., Covers spread, fifty-six.
Box 47. Patrol in service three and a half hours.
Responded to by Stations Nos. 1 and 2, (3 wagons).
Insurance on buildings, \$3,200. Loss paid, \$1,725.
Insurance on contents, \$6,235. Loss paid, \$2,584.30.
- Tuesday, No. 635 Twenty-third street. One-story frame dwelling.
30th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
2.45 P. M., Covers spread, four.
Box 274. Patrol in service forty minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwelling, \$1,300. Loss paid, \$335.25.
Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$10.

- Tuesday, Nos. 308, 310 Washington street. Two-story brick building.
 30th, Cause of fire, unknown.
 6.11 P. M., Extinguishers used, one.
 Box 26, and Covers spread, twenty-four.
 A. D. T. Patrol in service two hours.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$400.
 Insurance on contents, \$13,200. Loss paid, \$4,294.53.
- Tuesday, North-east corner California street and Van Ness avenue. Three-
 30th, story frame dwellings.
 10.47 P. M., Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 Box 135, and Covers spread, forty.
 A. D. T. Patrol in service three hours.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwellings, \$9,166.66 $\frac{2}{3}$. Loss paid, \$4,200.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,100. Loss paid, \$1,034.50.

DECEMBER.

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- Wednesday, No. 1604 Van Ness avenue.
 1st, Rekindling of fire corner California street and Van Ness avenue.
 3.17 A. M., Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 Box 135. Responded to by Station No. 2.
- Saturday, West side Van Ness avenue, Washington and Clay streets. Two-
 4th, story frame building.
 12.18 A. M., Cause of fire, unknown.
 Box 164. Patrol in service forty-five minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, \$500. Loss paid, \$350.
 Insurance on contents, \$250. Loss paid, \$250.
- Saturday, No. 214 Eighth street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 4th, Cause of fire, unknown.
 3.21 A. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 73. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$200.
 Insurance on contents, \$600. Loss paid, \$600.
- Saturday, Serpentine avenue, near Twenty-sixth street. One-story frame
 4th, building.
 9.2 A. M., Cause of fire, carelessness in placing wood on top of boiler to dry.
 Box 236. Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 • Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on buildings, \$514. Estimated loss, \$5.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,485.75. No claim.

- Sunday, No. 145 Second street. Two-story frame building.
 5th, Cause of fire, carelessness with matches.
 2.20 A. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Still. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$10.
 Insurance on contents, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$200.
- Monday, False alarm.
 6th, Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
 2.37 P. M., Responded to by Station No. 2.
 A. D. T.
- Friday, Rear 809 Clay and Nos. 719-21 Dupont streets. One and three-
 10th, story frame and brick building.
 9.32 P. M., Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 Box 25. Covers spread, one.
 Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on buildings, none. Estimated loss, \$65.
 Insurance on contents, \$12,600. Loss paid, \$27.25.
- Sunday, No. 1112 Montgomery street. Two-story frame dwelling.
 12th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 2.51 A. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Box 351. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$300.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$250.
- Monday, Rear of No. 207 Waller, and No. 111 Buchanan streets. One
 13th, and two-story frame building.
 2.30 A. M., Cause of fire, unknown.
 Box 87. Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on building, \$500. Loss paid, \$451.88.
 Insurance on contents, \$350. Loss paid, \$329.05.
- Monday, False alarm.
 13th, Patrol in service thirty minutes.
 2.49 A. M., Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Box 143.
- Monday, No. 642 Commercial street. Two-story frame building.
 13th, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 12.30 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.

- Box 21. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
 Insurance on contents, \$700. Loss paid, \$5.
- Tuesday, No. 612 Jackson street. Two-story brick building,
 14th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil lamp.
 8.09 P. M., Patrol in service one hour and thirty minutes.
 Box 17. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, \$400.
 Insurance on contents, \$4,500. Loss paid, \$870.20.
- Wednesday, No. 419 Sacramento street. Three-story brick building.
 15th, Cause of fire, carelessness with lamp.
 5.59 P. M., Covers spread, three.
 Box 31. Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on buildings, \$6,000. Estimated loss, \$25—no claim.
 Insurance on contents, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$15.
- Thursday, Nos. 30 to 40 Spear street. Two-story frame building.
 16th, Cause of fire, defective dry house.
 2.53 A. M., Covers spread, fifteen,
 Box 32 and Patrol in service one hour.
 A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$85.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,000. Loss paid, \$25.
- Thursday, No. 30 Market street. Two-story frame building.
 16th, Cause of fire, explosion of coal-oil stove.
 4.45 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
 Box 32. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, none. Estimated loss, 200.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$525.
- Thursday, Out of Patrol district.
 16th, Did not respond thereto.
 9.30 P. M.,
 Box 251.
- Thursday, No 417 Montgomery. Four-story brick building.
 16th, Cause of fire, defective stove-pipe.
 11.29 P. M., Covers spread, two.
 Box 27. Patrol in service one hour and thirty minutes.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on buildings, 30,000. Loss paid, \$75.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,500. Loss paid, \$226.

- Friday, North-west corner Fifth and Mission streets. United States
17th, Mint Building.
3.46 P. M., Cause of fire, hot iron moulds placed too near wood-work.
A. D. T. Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance, none. Estimated loss, \$100.
- Saturday, No. 220 Turk street. Two-story frame dwelling.
18th, Cause of fire, carelessness with matches.
3.36 P. M., Patrol in service twenty-five minutes.
Box 93. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
Insurance on contents, \$1,500. Loss paid, \$66.
- Sunday, Nos. 515 to 525 California street. California Market Building.
19th, Cause of fire, defective furnace.
12.27 A. M., Covers spread, two.
Box 35 and Patrol in service forty minutes.
A. D. T. Responded to by Station No. 1.
Insurance, none. Estimated loss, \$100.
- Sunday, No. 505 Natoma street. Two-story frame dwelling.
19th, Cause of fire, drunkenness.
7.15 P. M., Patrol in service thirty-five minutes.
Box 65 and Responded to by Station No. 2.
A. D. T. Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$25.
- Monday, No. 7 Mission street.
20th, Needless alarm.
5.21 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Box 34. Responded to by Station No. 1.
- Wednesday, Nos. 1306-8 Mission street. Three-story frame buildings.
22d, Cause of fire, unknown.
12.44 A. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
Box 76. Responded to by Station No. 2.
Insurance on buildings, \$1,000. Loss paid, \$25.
Insurance on contents, \$400. No loss.
- Wednesday, No 268 Mission street.
22d, Needless alarm.
1.21 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
Box 62. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Thursday, No 1201 Van Ness Ave. Three story unfinished frame dwelling.
 23d, Cause of fire, defective chimney.
 11.7 P. M., Patrol in service one hour.
 Box 136. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$15,000. Estimated loss, \$3,000.

Friday, Beale street wharf. Ship "J. Bourne."
 24th, Cause of fire, spontaneous combustion.
 9.20 A. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Still. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on cargo, none. Estimated loss, \$250.

Friday, Nos. 272, 274 Minna street.
 24th, Needless alarm.
 1.45 P. M., Patrol in service twenty minutes.
 Box 62. Responded to by Station No. 1.

Monday, No. 255 Third street. Two-story frame building.
 27th, Cause of fire, unknown.
 3.36 A. M., Covers spread, seven,
 Box 61. Patrol in service one hour.
 Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on building, \$1,200. Loss paid, \$155.
 Insurance on contents, \$2,500. Loss paid, \$100.

Monday, No. 727 Bush street. Two-story, frame dwelling.
 27th, Cause of fire, carelessness with coal-oil stove.
 10.28 A. M., Patrol in service forty minutes.
 Box 132. Responded to by Station No. 1.
 Insurance on dwelling, \$3,000. Loss paid, \$100.
 Insurance on contents, none. Estimated loss, \$225.

Wednesday, Out of Patrol district.
 29th, Did not respond thereto.
 10.42 P. M.,
 Box 6.

Thursday, Dey street, near Twenty-ninth street. One-story frame dwelling.
 30th, Cause of fire, unknown.
 12.35 A. M., Patrol in service fifty minutes.
 Box 236. Responded to by Station No. 2.
 Insurance on dwelling, none. Estimated loss, \$500.

